

## BETWEEN YOU AND ME

by Stanley Orris

Last week we were squacking about nothing happening hereabouts. After last week-end we take it all back. Ray Crane swears this is the most exciting place on the whole continent. And Ray should know. After all, not everyone has the experience of playing "Dodge 'Em" with an airplane, when out car driving on a peaceful country road.

V-V-V

Oh Yes, then there was the fire on Monday which was quick-ly and efficiently put out.

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## This Is Army Week!

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All this week we honour our boys in Battledress. Our boys in the ground forces in Canada and overseas will be remembered in extra measure and the Army will be better known to us than ever. Let us play our part by doing all possible to let them know individually and collectively how much we appreciate their sacrifice for us.

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## "CAMPBELLS"

## Champion Theatre

### Announcement

Kindly take notice that there will be no show at this theatre until Friday, July 17.

## OUR TOWN

Mrs. B. Anderson is spending this week visiting her daughter Mrs. Robinson of High River.

V-V-V

Joyce Tyndal suffered a broken arm when she slipped and fell last Sunday.

V-V-V

Miss Jean Porter, of Parkland, and Mrs. W. Richards, of Lethbridge, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Truba over the week end.

V-V-V

Mrs. Gilroy is taking up residence in Calgary shortly. She is disposing of her household effects at an auction sale Saturday evening.

V-V-V

Mrs. Bernard Jordan and Miss McLean who teaches at Harmony, were seriously burned last Saturday. They were confined to Carmangoy hospital.

V-V-V

A fire broke out in the house occupied by the McGraw brothers on Monday. Prompt attention on the part of the hose brigade soon brought the fire under control.

V-V-V

Chas. G. Taylor returned to duty last week. He reports great activity on the coast.

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### CLASSIFIED ADS

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### THE WEATHER

Continued ample rainfall and cool weather has resulted in crops maintaining good growth and also retarding insect development.

Precipitation Chart Champion District  
(Courtesy Searle Grain Co.)

	Longtime Av.	1941	1942
June 27	6.95	4.00	7.95
June 18	6.15	3.05	5.40
June 12	5.35	3.25	5.21
June 8	4.35	3.18	4.70
June 1	3.75	3.15	4.10
May 22	3.10	1.25	2.47
May 15	2.45	1.83	2.47
May 8	1.80	0	.27
May 1	1.15	0	.01

Fall moisture (subsoil reserve) for this district, as indicated by August, September and October precipitation, longtime average 5.13; for the year 5.06 or 99 percent of normal.

# THE CHRONICLE

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## Honor Roll

The following is a list of the boys and girls in the district who are serving in Canada's forces. We hope, if there are omissions or errors that they will be brought to our attention immediately.

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Art Chaproniere  
Leonard F. Birkness  
E. Dunipace  
Eric A. Diemert  
Wm. M. Diemert  
Joe Fox  
Robert D. Gardner  
E. Hildebrand  
Gordon McLean  
J. A. Mallon  
George Starcher  
G. C. Truchart  
C. J. Vealors  
R. R. Walker  
W. B. Boarsh  
Earl Ross  
Cecil Chapman  
Robt. H. Doyle  
Ted. L. Davis  
Jerry Fath  
Harold Fath  
W. Goodman  
Arthur Hill  
Ralph Isaacson  
Don Lee  
Geo. A. Minty  
William Martin  
Ken McMahon  
H. D. Smith  
A. L. Siler  
L. G. Schumacher  
Pte. Rhodes  
V. L. Taylor  
P. M. Wollersheim  
A. Latiff  
R. H. Birkness  
O. P. Thomas  
R. V. Neilson  
L. E. Lunde  
Jas. E. Brown  
Gordon C. Berger  
Ken. H. Bloxham  
Jack Chaproniere  
Robert Clarke  
Harry Dwellie  
Dick Dupes  
Ken Glix  
George Gilroy  
E. A. Hames  
A. J. Hames  
Larry Hagg  
L. Isaacson  
Hugh Miller  
Floyd Matlock  
Stuart Patterson  
Harry Volsey  
Arie Versluis  
Robt. Weiss  
W. F. Racher  
Leslie Christensen  
Peter Bravold  
Earl Lunde  
Roderick Minty  
Mae Fisher  
Lona Stephenson  
J. Buchan

## Local Notes

M. F. Hamilton suffered an injury to his ankle last week.

V-V-V

Don Campbell was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Campbell.

V-V-V

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson and daughter Marilyn were visitors at the Campbell home over the week end.

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Everyone is requested by the Hon. Mr. Thorson to observe to observe to the full the spirit of Army Week. Do everything possible to honor the boys.

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FRANCES JAMES

Frances James, native of New Brunswick, and, for the past ten years, familiar to CBC listeners, is pictured above. She is currently heard over station CBK, Watrous 540 kcs, with other leading Toronto singers and musicians on the weekly musical comedy programme, Curtain Memories, which is produced from the CBC Toronto studios under the direction of George Stewart.

## Local Notes

W. Goodman is in town on a short leave.

V-V-V

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jopling and Miss Florence Woodhull of Reno, Nev., were Calgary visitors on Monday.

V-V-V

Bill Ulrich brought into the office last Saturday a sheaf of barley from Art's farm. It measured about twenty-eight inches above the ground and was heading out. We don't know whether this is a record or not but it sounds good.

V-V-V

Mrs. A. Bach is recovering from a major operation she underwent in Calgary recently. During her convalescence she was visited by Harold Bach who is progressing favourably.

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## Counter Check Books



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STANLEY ORRIS, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER

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**Editorials****LET'S QUIT KIDDING OURSELVES**

We have just been kicked out of Libya with our tails more or less between our legs. Yet

we had captured previously the whole of North Africa and along with it a couple of hundred thousand prisoners. Only a month ago we were told publicly Rommel was just on the verge of defeat. What does it all add up to? Millions of people in allied nations are asking this question. In their hearts they know they are doing everything their governments are asking them to do; submitting to restrictions and regimentation; giving their sons to fight; working unselfishly in voluntary war service organizations; contributing their money in ever increasing quantities, in order that we may win the war in the shortest possible time. They are beginning to wonder if the government is as

much on its toes as they are, or whether they, the people, are away ahead of the government in sincerity of purpose, and efficiency of operation, in respect to getting things done in a hurry.

In the same news broadcast which brought the news of the fall of Tobruk and the capture of 25,000 of our soldiers, also brought news of a statement by a minister of the crown to the effect that, while conscription is not an immediate

necessity it would be well to have it on the books as a situation might arise overnight to require it. If the fall of Tobruk resulted, as we are led to believe to superiority of enemy numbers, then the minister's statement is another example of the psychology which results in the "too little, too late" experiences, we have been having. We can't conscript an army and train it overnight.

Let's quit kidding ourselves about these vital matters.

# WARNING!

If it is not already on its way to  
Rationing Headquarters you should

## MAIL YOUR APPLICATION CARD FOR COUPON RATIONING AT ONCE!

After July 1st no one will be able to purchase sugar for regular domestic use without turning in a ration coupon.

Application cards for coupon rationing for sugar have now been mailed to every household in Canada. But, in an undertaking so vast, some homes may have been missed, or some cards may have gone astray. So, no matter where you live, whether it is in areas served by letter carrier or not, if your application card is not already on its way to Rationing Headquarters, you should wait no longer.

After filling in the card, according to the instructions on the pamphlet which was delivered with it, just drop the card in the nearest mail box or post office. It needs no forwarding address.

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1. LAST NAME ONLY

2. APPLICANT'S FIRST NAME(S)

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4. CITY OR POST OFFICE PROVINCE (AND COUNTY)

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ing address.



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**COUPON  
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amount of sugar as at present— $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. per person per week. The same provision as at present for additional quantities for preserving and jam and jelly making will be continued. Special voucher forms for this purpose are being supplied all retailers.

**THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD**





## NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE CONTROL OF EMPLOYMENT

★ **NO EMPLOYER HEREAFTER SHALL HIRE ANY PERSON, MALE OR FEMALE, WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF A SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICER IN AN EMPLOYMENT OFFICE OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION** ★

Whenever a vacancy occurs, or additional staff is required, or a lay-off of staff is anticipated, the employer shall notify the local Employment Office. He may engage only persons referred to him by, or approved by, the local Employment Office.

A local Selective Service Officer may revoke at any time, on not less than ten days notice, any approval granted by him.

Appeal from a Selective Service Officer's decision may be made in writing within ten days to the Divisional Registrar of the National War Services Board, and the decision of the Board shall be final.

### EXCEPTIONS

This order does not include employment: (1) In agriculture, fishing, hunting or trapping; (2) Subject to the Essential Work (Scientific and Technical Personnel) Regulations, 1942; (3) In domestic service in a private home; (4) Of students after school hours or during holidays (but does include employment during Summer Vacations); (5) In part-time work which is not the principal means of livelihood; (6) Casual or irregular employment for not more than three days in any calendar week for the same employer; (7) Under the Government of any Province.

This order does not affect Re-employment: (1) Within not more than 14 consecutive days after the last day a person worked for the same employer; (2) After sickness or disability which caused the suspension of the employment; (3) On resumption of work after a stoppage caused by an industrial dispute; (4) In accordance with a collective labour agreement which provides for preference according to length of service or seniority; (5) On compulsory re-instatement after Military Service.

Until further notice from the Director of National Selective Service or a local National Selective Service Officer, any employer may temporarily engage any employee, if he submits within three days to a local office an application in duplicate for the approval of such engagement. Such application shall state the insurance book number, or the insurance registration number, (U.I.C. Form 413), name, address, age, sex, occupation of such employee, the name of his or her most recent employer, and the date he or she left employment with such employer.

Penalties for infringements of this order provide for a fine up to \$500.00, or imprisonment up to 12 months, or both fine and imprisonment.

★ **This order supersedes previous National Selective Service Orders respecting restricted and unrestricted occupations.** ★

ELLIOTT M. LITTLE,  
Director National Selective Service

HUMPHREY MITCHELL,  
Minister of Labour

### RED CROSS NOTES

The Red Cross could use one or two more sewing machines at the rooms. Anyone who has a machine they would like to donate or loan should communicate with Mrs. Freeze.

Our quota of six nurses operating gowns is expected this week.

We now have wool on hand for turtle neck tuck-ins, seamen's stockings, seamen's socks, children's garments, also for gloves crocheted as well as knitted.

The following articles were shipped this week.

Baby wear: 9 gowns, 1 jacket 1 bonnet, 1 pr. booties. Boy's wear: 9 prs. pyjamas, 6 shirts and 3 prs. hose.

Also included in the shipment were 7 quilts, 3 crib quilts, 224 khaki handkerchiefs. One of above quilts was donated by the Women's Institute.

Send a parcel to a soldier.

One insertion is generally all that is needed to sell that machinery or other farm equipment you no longer need. Or if you want to buy something — the classified column is ready to serve you. No matter what it is you want to buy or sell — try a classified. The cost is small.

### Local Notes

Mrs. A. Chaproniere spent a week visiting with relatives in Calgary recently.

Ken Robinson is a patient in Carmangay hospital suffering from blood poisoning of the hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Larkins are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son in Vulcan hospital last Wednesday. Dr. Freeze attended.

Leslie Christensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. William V. Christensen has been enlisted in the RCAF at Calgary as an airframe mechanic.

Harold Fath, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fath, has been enlisted in the RCAF at Calgary as Aero Engine Mechanic.

Mrs. Peter Larco was a visitor the past week at the home of her father Mr. A. E. Hames.

Lac Albert Hames was home on leave for a few days last week from Macdonald, Man.

Students at the local public and high schools are now about through their exams and will soon know what the results of their years work is.

The school board is busy interviewing prospective teachers for the local staff for the next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Inman will give up residence in Champion this summer. Mr. Inman is accepting a teaching position in another district.

Ed. Griffin and Pete Patterson were Calgary visitors on Wednesday.

Ed. Ellison and Ferris Bouznan were Calgary visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Clever and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clever were visitors to Calgary on Tuesday.

Principal Sidney Lindstedt and Mrs. Lindstedt will shortly give up residence in Champion. Mr. Lindstedt is entering service with the RCAF.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Paris returned Tuesday from a holiday at Waterton Lakes.

Mr. Wm. V. Christensen and Vernon Christensen were Rimbey visitors this week.

Miss Margeret Brander of Carmangay was a week-end visitor to Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Swanson were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Farmer.

Observe Army Week.

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## Baron's Notes

On Monday several friends held a pleasant surprise party on Mrs. James Blacklock before she leaves Barons for the farm.

V-V-V

Miss Lois Miller of the local bank staff resumed her duties on Monday after a holiday at Vancouver.

V-V-V

Miss Greenlee of Vulcan, visited with her sister Mrs. Hal Morgan last week.

V-V-V

The old hardware building on the north side of main street has been sold and is being moved to Iron Springs. It is to be moved in two sections by the North Lethbridge Housemovers Company.

V-V-V

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hultgreen was seriously injured when he was run over by the farm truck which passed over his body, injuring his back and spine. He will be several months in a cast.

V-V-V

The officials of the Keko Dome Oil Co. held their regular meeting in Calgary last Thursday. They are very enthusiastic about the possibility of resuming drilling operations in the near future.

V-V-V

See our Special Window Display of Suggestions for Soldiers Gift Boxes. We have many items he would be pleased to have

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